



MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
AUGUST A. BUSCH MEMORIAL CONSERVATION AREA  
MANAGED GOOSE HUNTS  
2006/2007

There are typically a large number of resident giant Canada geese that utilize the August A. Busch Memorial Conservation Area throughout the year. In the past, the only hunting opportunity on the area for geese was during a few managed youth waterfowl hunts. In an effort to increase goose hunting opportunities, local staff are proposing a limited number of managed goose hunts on the Busch area. The following guidelines are proposed for the hunts:

- Hunts will take place within the statewide waterfowl season framework for the Middle Zone.
- Statewide daily and possession limits will apply.
- Hunters will apply for a 2-day hunt.
- Hunting party size is limited to four (4) persons.
- Four (4) parties will be drawn for each hunt.
- Hunting is allowed from one-half hour before sunrise until sunset.
- Hunters will be allowed to hunt on land or water. ONLY the following lakes are open to goose hunting: 33, 34, 35, 36, and 37.
- Areas that are posted as refuge or restricted, or shown on the area brochure map as refuge or restricted areas are not open to hunting. A map showing restricted areas will be provided to each successful applicant.
- No private watercraft will be allowed, including layout boats. MDC rental boats will be made available for hunters on select lakes.
- Parties will be randomly assigned to one of four zones on the area to hunt.

(Tear off the bottom portion of this page and deliver to the Busch Conservation Area Office no later than 5:00 p.m. on September 30, 2006)

**AUGUST A. BUSCH MEMORIAL CONSERVATION AREA  
2006/2007 Goose Hunt Application**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Conservation# \_\_\_\_\_

- Applications must be received at the Busch Conservation Area Office by 5:00 p.m. on September 30, 2006
- Applications must be mailed or hand-delivered, no faxed applications will be accepted
- Only one application per individual (duplicate applications will result in disqualification)
- Successful applicants will receive a daily hunting permit and other information pertaining to the hunt in the mail prior to November 10, 2006
- Successful applicants may bring three hunting partners with them during the hunt
- 4 Applicants will be selected by random drawing for each of three hunt dates
- Hunters will be required to use non-toxic shot when hunting geese at Busch Conservation Area
- Goose hunting is allowed from one-half hour before sunrise until sunset
- Hunters can apply for ONLY one (1) of the hunts listed below

\_\_\_\_\_ December 9-10, 2006      \_\_\_\_\_ January 13-14, 2007      \_\_\_\_\_ January 27-28, 2007